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For : SELF-ADHERING FRICTION REDUCING  
LINER AND METHOD OF USE

Docket No.: T291.12-0013

Group Art Unit: 3772

Examiner: K.M. Lewis

**REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL OF NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT**

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Sir:

Applicant hereby requests that the Notice of Abandonment mailed on October 31, 2006 be withdrawn. If a petition is needed to effect the withdrawal of the abandonment of this application, it is respectfully requested that this paper be considered as a Petition, and that applicant's deposit account to be charged with the required fee.

Applicant on October 31, 2006 filed a Request to Extend Time for this application. A copy of the Petition for a Two-Month Extension of Time and Fee, a copy of the Fee Transmittal, a copy of the Credit Card information sheet and applicant's postcard is hereby enclosed.


Applicant filed the petition for a two-month extension so that applicant could file a continuing application.

Therefore, the correct abandonment date of this application should be November 1, 2006 and not August 1, 2006.

The Director is authorized to charge any fee deficiency required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1123.

Respectfully submitted,

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☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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## METHOD OF PAYMENT (Check all that apply)

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## FEE CALCULATION

## 1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Small Entity		Small Entity		Small Entity		
	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

## 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

## Fee Description

Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent

Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent

Multiple dependent claims

	Small Entity
Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
50	25
200	100
360	180
Multiple Dependent Claims	
Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
180	0

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
20	- 20 or HP = 0	25	0

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
3	- 3 or HP = 0	100	0

HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3

## 3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper, the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
0	- 100 = 0	/ 50 = 0 (round up to a whole number) x	125	= 0
				Fee(s) Paid (\$)
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## 4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other: Extension for Response with Second Month (2252)

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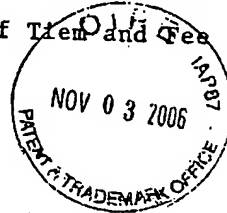
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Receipt is hereby acknowledged by the Assistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the following items in the matter of:

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1. Credit Card Payment Form (PTO-2038)(1 page)(\$225)
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